

For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Sunday:  
Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair, with showers to-night or on Sunday night.  
Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, mostly cloudy, with showers.

Pantages—Vaudville  
Princess—King of the Cannibal Isles  
Dominion—My Four Years in Germany  
Romance—Hungry Eyes  
Bella Vista—Under Handicap  
Variety—The Tiger Man  
Columbia—Douglas Fairbanks

## ALLIES CONTINUE TO WIN BACK GROUND FROM THE ENEMY

### GERMANS PAID A HUGE PRICE IN BIG FIGHT ON THE NEW SALIENT

**Losses Comparatively Light at Beginning of Battle Between Soissons and Rheims But Mounted at Rapid Rate as Contest Took Its Course**

Paris, June 8.—The Allied press has been almost silent concerning the German losses in the new Battle of the Marne. It has been learned from the highest source, however, that while the German losses were comparatively small at the beginning of the battle between Soissons and Rheims, the casualties inflicted upon the invaders last week were enormous. It is not exaggerating to say that the Germans lost half as many men in the new Battle of the Marne as they lost in the equal period of fighting in the terrific battles on the Picardy plains between March 21 and 29.

### FRENCH CAPITAL AGAIN IS SHELLED

German Bombardment Continues; Paris Defence Committee is at Work

Paris, June 8.—The German long-range bombardment of the Paris region was renewed this morning.

Defence Committee.

Paris, June 8.—In an article in *Le Matin* dealing with the recent appointment of the Paris Committee of Defence, Frederick Brunet, a Socialist Deputy, says:

"By another drive, made without regard to sacrifices, the Germans, if they did not enter Paris, perhaps could approach near enough to hold the capital under fire of long-range guns, not as now, under an intermittent bombardment, but under methodic permanent fire."

"Such a condition would render industrial life impossible, and the Government's will to resist must not be influenced by the fear of sacrificing the lives of non-combatants or by fear of the consequence which a cessation of the output of the munitions factories surrounding the capital would entail."

The Committee in question, whose duty it is to defend the Paris area, will not only study plans to meet the threat, but will also consider it as improbable, but will deal with the problems caused by night air raids and the long-range bombardments, says a Havas Agency review of the Committee's work which summarizes the newspaper comment. The committee also will take into consideration the question of the morale of the population, with the confident assumption that while the enemy can strike at us, we can not break down the resolution or courage of the people.

### AMERICAN LABOR

#### BACKS UP WILSON

Gompers Says There is No Danger of Division in States

St. Paul, Minn., June 8.—Reiterating labor's desire to support the men of the Government, Mr. Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, said at a convention meeting here to-day:

"Come what may, President Wilson need not fear division in the United States, for the men of labor, whether in peace or war, stand as one behind him as the leader of the democracy of the world."

Western Union.

Sharp criticism of the officials of the Western Union Telegraph Company for their alleged refusal to abide by the decision of the National Labor War Board and protestations of labor's united support of the Government's policy were voiced by officials of the Federation at a convention meeting.

According to Mr. Gompers, the action of the telegraph officials is in direct violation of the purpose of the Board and has a demoralizing effect upon the morale of working people.

"This probably will result in President Wilson commandeering the Western Union Telegraph Company and enforcement of legislation by Congress taking over the telegraph and telephone companies during the war," Secretary Morrison said.

"Never in the history of the universe has there been a time and circumstances where representatives of the masses of labor have been in such a position of right and justice as now," Gompers said.

### GOVERNMENT GIVES ACRES TO SOLDIERS

Land at Sechelt for Exclusive Soldier Settlement; More to Follow

Announcement is made by the Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, this morning to the effect that the Government intends to throw open exclusively for occupation by returned soldiers expired Timber License No. 33925 situated on the upper flats of Sechelt, in which area is about six hundred and fifty acres in extent and is located approximately thirty-five miles from the city of Vancouver with which it is connected by an excellent boat communication. The parcel has already been surveyed and consists altogether of eleven locations each varying from thirty-three acres to seventy-three acres.

#### For Joint Pursuits.

Reports made to the Minister from surveys of the property indicate that this location will be well-suited to the needs of the returning soldiers, who are small farming enterprise. While rocky ridges intersperse at intervals there are areas of very fair soil where operations making for agricultural production can be carried on advantageously.

It is considered by the Government that this area will furnish an excellent home for soldiers who desire to carry on agricultural pursuits in conjunction with some other occupation such as fishing or lumbering.

#### Application Dates.

The Minister explains that it is necessary to lift the reserve upon this area and allow the customary period of sixty days to elapse before opening the list for applications. He has arranged with the Government Agent to have the necessary documents from August 14 to August 21 inclusive available for the necessary applications to be filed with the agent in the Terminal City. On August 29 allotments will be made by drawing, the details and manner of which are yet to be worked out and approved by Mr. Pattullo.

#### Freedom From Taxation.

It should be noted that this area will be free from taxation for a period of five years and will not cost the soldier a cent in the interim as far as any payment in connection with his acquisition of the land and its Crown Grant are concerned so long as he has to pay the provisions of the Land Act. That is to say, he is required to reside on the land for a period of five years, improve it to the value of \$10 per acre—including the clearance and cultivation of at least five acres. There will be no charge made for the application for a pre-emption record, for leave of absence, or for the Crown Grant.

#### Others to Follow.

It is found to be a somewhat difficult matter to find suitable areas close to transportation which have not already been alienated, but very careful investigation is being made of various portions of the Province and it is the hope of the Government that at an early date other locations will be thrown open exclusively for soldier settlement.

### American Steamship Carrying Food Got Away From U Boat

An Atlantic Port of the United States, an American steamship loaded with foodstuffs put back to port here to-day and reported that she had been chased by a submarine.

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### Charge Made Germans Control Platinum Industry in U. S.

Washington, June 8.—Charges that German interests control the platinum industry of the United States, that the attempts of the War Industries Board to conserve platinum have been inefficient and that members of the Jewish community have been "unscrupulous profiteers" were made by Representative Rainey, of Illinois, in an address in the House yesterday advocating the insertion of a prohibitory tax on platinum jewelry manufacture in the new revenue bill.

### BRITISH TAKE PRISONERS AND INFILTRATE CASUALTIES ON THE ENEMY IN RAIDS

London, June 8.—British troops took prisoners and inflicted casualties in raiding and patrol actions along the northern part of the front last night, the War Office reports. The statement follows:

"We captured a few prisoners last night in a successful raid in the neighborhood of Hulluch. Our patrols inflicted casualties on the enemy in the Strazele sector and captured a machine gun.

"The hostile artillery has been active north of Albert and south-east of Arras."

### WAR WORKERS ARE HONORED BY KING

Titles in Order of British Empire Conferred on More Than Sixty

London, June 8.—Sixty leaders in war work of various kinds are made Knights of the newly created Order of the British Empire, as part of the King's birthday honors, the first list of which will be issued Monday. They include the president of the Royal Society; Harry E. Brittan, one of the founders of the Pilgrim's Society and for years an active promoter of Anglo-American relations; Henry Japp, of the British War Mission to the United States; Colonel Albert Stern, liaison officer of the British and camp departments, and Hall Caine, the author.

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### ALLIES FOUGHT WAY FORWARD QUICKLY

Franco-Americans' Success Northwest of Chateau Thierry Brilliant One

French Headquarters, June 8.—(Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency)—The attack of the combined forces of French and Americans northwest of Chateau Thierry on Friday, a half mile front was a brilliant operation. The Germans held a strong line in wood and country. The French troops on the left, running through Veuilly and Bousches, captured both villages, crossed the stream and were progressing toward the heights of Sauveterres when last reports were received. The American troops on the right advanced their line a mile during the course of the morning and captured Bousches. Both sides took prisoners.

A German regiment, finding a German machine gun troublesome, went out single-handed and attacked and killed the whole machine gun crew and captured the gun.

A German Letter.

London, June 8.—(Via Ottawa Reuter's Agency)—Reuter's correspondent at French headquarters telegraphed:

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"The infantry attack began at 2 o'clock, and fifteen minutes afterward we passed the wire entanglements and were bursting into the enemy positions. At the end of two hours we had fought our way to the enemy positions to the Chemin des Dames, opening a passage for the artillery. By evening we had pushed the French back of the canal and over the Aisne and then began a fierce pursuit. Among the prisoners were British, Italians, Americans and Arabs."

### May Shipments of Food to Allies From North America Large

Washington, June 7.—Cereal food-stuffs shipped from North America to the Allies during May aggregated 700,278 tons, of which wheat and wheat products constituted 371,253 tons, the Food Administration estimates. In April the total shipments were 836,934 tons.

### PRESSING ADVANTAGE WON IN BLOW, ALLIED FORCES PUSH ENEMY BACK FARTHER ON AISNE-MARNE FRONT

British Destroyed German Plane and Burned One of Their Own

The Hague, June 8.—Five British and seven German seaplanes of the largest types fought a battle Tuesday evening off the Dutch coast, according to a Terschelling dispatch, to The Handelsblad. One of the German machines was observed to fall into the sea in flames. One British machine was forced to descend, but landed

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Mountain's company was compelled to fall back before an advancing enemy mass. Volunteers for a counter-attack were called for, and Mountain and ten men stepped forward. He then advanced on the flank with a Lewis gun and enfiladed an enemy patrol, of which about one hundred were killed.

Mountain, an organized his party for defense, and covered the retreat of the rest of the company, one non-commissioned officer and four men, successfully held at bay 600 Germans for half an hour. Later he took command of a flank post and held off for twenty-seven hours until finally surrounded. Mountain was one of the few who managed to fight their way back.

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This official circular is addressed to the men and women "who have voluntarily and gratuitously placed themselves at the disposal of the charitable services during this war."

Each circular is accompanied by a question form which is returnable to the authorities. The principal question is: "Are you prepared to engage yourself from now for the same service for the next war?"

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## QUITE IMPOTENT.

Secretary Daniels gives the assurance that whatever may be the object of the German submarine demonstration in American waters, there will be no check in the flow of American troops and munitions to France. The Chairman of the Naval Committee of the House at Washington supplements the Secretary's statement with the announcement that troopships continue to leave Atlantic ports for overseas according to plan.

If hostile submarines had appeared off the American Atlantic coast a year or more ago there undoubtedly would have been some interruption of the movement of transports, for convoy arrangements and other safeguards were then in their infancy, as far as the United States was concerned, while the submarine campaign was at the height of its destructiveness. But now the German attempt to stop the flow of American troops and supplies to France is an old, old story. It has been going on since June, 1917, steadily becoming more hopeless with the development of the Allies' counter-measures, until it has been forced into waters where there is less prospect of success than anywhere else along the whole route.

Coasters and a few unarmed steamers are being sunk probably in the hope that the American people will press the Washington authorities to withdraw American ships from the patrol in European waters. The actual effect will be to accelerate American effort all round while the characteristic Teutonic idea that the performance will frighten and demoralize the people will appeal to the American sense of humor.

At the same time it affords an impressive commentary on the impotence of the German navy to avert the fateful consequences of its own criminal lunacy. Having challenged the United States to take up arms, and now seeing the republic sending hundreds of thousands of troops and enormous quantities of war material to Europe, with each month vastly increasing the volume of both, the best it can do is to send a couple of submarines to sink a few unarmed coasting vessels off the American coast, an expedient which suggests an attempt to stop an elephant with a sling-shot.

## CANADIAN AIRMEN.

There has been some agitation in Canada for the organization of a Canadian flying corps, and at first glance the proposal appears to be entirely reasonable. A little reflection, however, discloses difficulties in the way. The Allies on the West Front are pooling their resources. As far as possible they are maintaining the homogeneity of their respective services while subordinating all to one common control, but there have been important variations from this order. British and French are fighting in one organization in Flanders and south of the Somme. French and British infantrymen fought together southwest of Rheims. French and Americans now are recapturing villages northwest of Chateau Thierry, while Americans in Picardy and Flanders are being brigaded with both British and French. British and French artillerymen have been operating from common positions. The aerial services of the Allies must be subjected to similar adjustments. If there were a Canadian flying corps it might be necessary to distribute it over several sectors according to the emergencies of the time. American flying men are still well represented in the French air service.

Canada has played a distinguished part in the war in the air, the number of Canadians in the Royal Air Force being very high. Before the Royal Flying Corps and the Royal Naval Air Service were merged in one organization the great majority of airmen in the latter branch were Canadians. The Field, the well-known British publication on sport, recently made the following reference to this which will be highly appreciated in the Dominion:

"A curious fact in connection with the Royal Air Force in France is the high proportion of Canadian pilots. We have been given various estimates on this point and all agree that the percentage is very much greater than the relative proportion of Canadians to other Britishers in arms. Our splendid Australians have their own division, but even so they must give pride of place to the men across the Atlantic in point of numbers. One wonders what it is that has given the Canadians this natural aptitude for flying. It amounts to that because there is no lack of candidates for pilots' and observers' certificates from among the British and colonial forces, and those who now sport the double wings have had to prove that not merely can they handle an airplane deftly, but demonstrate that special 'flair' for air work without which the pilot of to-day is certain to be visited by early disaster."

## VON BERNHARDI'S FAILURE.

Among the German generals holding important commands in the fighting on the West Front is none other than Frederick von Bernhardi, the author of "Germany and the Next War." For a long time after the struggle began von Bernhardi was in eclipse. His book, published in 1912, was so damning a refutation of the Berlin case that Germany was the innocent victim of a ring of conspirators controlled by wicked Albion that the luckless general was anathema at the Wilhelmstrasse. "War is a biological necessity," wrote Bernhardi six years ago, and then proved to his own satisfaction and the great joy of the Prussian military clique that it was Germany's duty to "crush France never to cross our path again," and to knock Russia out.

In discussing the prospects of British intervention von Bernhardi admitted the might of the British navy but dismissed the idea of a formidable British army with a few contemptuous sentences. The British regular, he said, had "no tactical value," while it would be impossible to raise a powerful army from the mass of the British people. As for the Overseas Dominions, they were "negligible" as military factors and need not be discussed at all.

Recently, von Bernhardi was given a command and an important task. He was to take Bethune and outflank Vimy Ridge from the north, that is to say, to walk over the Briton who had "no tactical value" and to force the "negligible" Canadians off the commanding positions from which they had tossed the Germans a year before. Now, if Bernhardi had been at all consistent he would have urged von Hindenburg to allow him to tackle Vimy Ridge from the front instead of trying to sneak upon it through the side gate. But the author of "Germany and the Next War" did not even reach the side gate. The soldier of "no tactical value" barred the way, although outnumbered three or four to one by the flower of the German army, cradled in Prussian militarism.

Von Bernhardi has learned much since he wrote his famous book. He has discovered that no author ever knew so little about his subject as he when he set out to show how Germany could and would conquer the world. His conception of what really made up a first-class fighting man was puerile. In his opinion individual intelligence, initiative, physical strength, passion for humanity and right, and love of freedom had nothing to do with it. Heel-clicking, goose-stepping, parades, big guns, big zeppelins, big noise, the complete elimination of the human factor and so forth were to him the only sure manifestations of scientific war-making. Even Germany has abandoned much of this conception of military efficiency of von Bernhardi and his associates, while sticking to ruffianism.

## RAISING A LIVELY ISSUE.

The Toronto Globe sees in the Canadian Industrial Reconstruction Association, an institution projected by certain Toronto and Montreal interests, an organization for the promotion of the high protection movement and opposition to direct taxation. Our contemporary draws this conclusion from the pronouncement in the association's manifesto that "customs duties must continue to be the chief source of revenue."

The Globe regards the action of these interests in raising the tariff issue at this time as a violation of the truce on questions of fiscal policy which has existed from the commencement of the war, and warns the promoters of the movement that they will have to reckon with the West, the "big radical, progressive, self-assertive West," the "dominating force in Canada's new Parliament," if they start a campaign on behalf of high protection.

The Globe's warning is timely. Western Canada has ready a complete armament for a fight on this issue, but is willing to forget all about it until the war is over. The elements which so long have dictated the fiscal policy of this country will save themselves a lot of heart-burning by realizing now that the West means to pull down a considerable part of the tariff wall when the greater emergency is past; that never again will it submit to the exacting of a privileged few in the guise of "protection." Besides, Canadian industry is no longer in its infancy, diapers, pinnafores, blouses and what not are altogether out of place on this young giant, who is big enough to wear men's clothing and to stand upon his own feet, instead of upon the feet of the Canadian taxpayers.

## USES OF SAWDUST.

(London Daily Chronicle)

Sawdust, which most of us regard as waste, has many uses besides the manufacture of paper, for which a century-old invention is to be applied. Oxalic acid is made from it; it is used for packing as well as smoking fish. Carbonized, it makes a better filter than ordinary charcoal. Boxwood sawdust is used for cleaning jewelry, and rosewood sawdust is compressed into artificial ebony. Furriers use it for dressing skins, while even small fragments of some woods, such as pencil cedar, are made to yield perfumes. A peculiarity of sawdust is that it sinks in water, although the wood from which it is cut floats.

## THE WISDOM OF PROHIBITION.

(New York Sun)

Prohibition laws are not sumptuary laws. They are laws in defence of the public health, public order and public morals. They are a legitimate exercise of the police powers of the state. They impose limitations upon the acts of certain individuals, not because of the effect of those acts on those persons but because of the consequences of their acts to others and to the community as a whole. The prohibition of the providing of alcoholic liquors is justified by the conviction that the general welfare is endangered through its continuance.

To the Editor.—Regarding a recent letter inquiring for relatives of a soldier named James Young, my wife and I desire to express our appreciation of the endeavors of Drum-Major Ander-

LONDON CONFERENCE  
IS ABOUT TO START

Sittings of Imperial Conference  
Will Begin Within  
Few Days

London, June 8.—It is officially announced that meetings of the Imperial War Cabinet and the Imperial Conference are expected to begin within a few days. A majority of the representatives already have arrived. Canada will be represented by Sir Robert Borden, Hon. Arthur Meighen, Minister of the Interior; Hon. J. A. Calder, Minister of Immigration, and Hon. N. W. Rowell, President of the Privy Council; Australia by Rt. Hon. W. M. Hughes, Premier, and Rt. Hon. Joseph Cook, Minister of the Navy; New Zealand by Rt. Hon. William F. Massey, Premier; and South Africa by General J. C. Smuts and Hon. Henry Burden, Minister of Railways; Newfoundland by Hon. W. F. Lloyd, and India by Rt. Hon. Edwin S. Montagu, Secretary for India, Sir Sam Yendra Singh and the Maharajah of Ratnala.

U BOATS FAILED  
AGAINST CONVOY

British Destroyers Frustrated  
Attempts on Ships; U.S.  
Troops on Transports

London, June 8.—Delayed.—German submarines were foiled in attempts against a convoy which included ships carrying American troops and American Red Cross Workers, according to Rev. Father Joseph Wareing, of Baltimore, one of the Red Cross party who arrived in London yesterday. The probe was frustrated by the intervention quickly on two occasions last Sunday, but Father Wareing did not know whether any submarines were sunk.

Father Wareing, who had a trying experience following the torpedoing of the British steamer Laconia in February, 1917, gave the Associated Press the following story:

"Soon after we reached the danger zone our convoy was attacked by German submarines and for a few minutes I thought I was in for another experience of the same kind as I had on the Laconia. The exact number of the U-boats was not determined, but at least two were seen."

"We had a lively escort of British destroyers, however, and they were on the trail of the periscopes like a flash. Guns and depth charges began popping like giant firecrackers. Fifteen depth charges were dropped into the nest of German submarines. Whether any were sunk I can not say for we were on a fast ship and enveloped in smoke, but I know we did not lose a single ship."

"Our convoy carried a large number of American troops—I can not say how many."

PRAIRIE PEOPLE  
URGED TO GET IN  
THEIR COAL EARLY

Winnipeg, June 8.—The Canadian Railway War Board is running an advertisement in the local papers under the heading: "Forestall fuel famine or freeze." It contrasts the movement of coal from Port Arthur and Fort William in 1917 with that necessary for 1918 from the western mines. It points out that coal this year must travel five times as long in transit, and that 260,000 tons of coal and 7,700 more will be required.

It concludes: "Cars, engines and men are available for coal movement now. After September 1 these facilities will be in the grain service. We warn the citizens of Winnipeg and the prairies that as next winter's coal supply must come from the Western mines, unless it is moved now suffering and distress from lack of fuel will surely result next winter."

SEMENOFF'S TROOPS  
IN SIBERIA DISBAND

London, June 8.—The activity of General Semenoff as a military factor against the Bolsheviks in Siberia is near an end, reports from Harbin tend to show, says a dispatch to The Daily Mail from Tokio dated Monday. A dispatch from Peking to The Asahi-ku of Tokio says General Semenoff's troops will soon disband.

CANADA'S FIRE LOSS IN  
MAY ABOUT \$3,570,000

Toronto, June 8.—The Monetary Times estimates Canada's fire loss during May, 1918, at \$3,570,014, compared with the April loss of \$2,240,187 and \$1,163,110 for May, 1917.

The municipal bond sales in Canada during May totalled \$4,571,142, compared with \$3,968,995 in April and \$1,375,039 in May a year ago.

TO THE EDITOR.—At a meeting of the Executive of the Greater Production Committee of Esquimalt held last evening, it was decided, owing to the absence of the much-needed rain, to request you to publish the enclosed letter from the Esquimalt Waterworks. Anyone wishing to take advantage of this offer should communicate his or her intention of doing so to the office of the company. If, by reason of location, or for any other reason, it is found impossible to use water on the root crops or vegetables, the continual use of the hoe to keep down the weeds and form a dust-mulch, would be the best thing to do under the circumstances.

Another matter that might well be considered by the residents of Esquimalt is bringing under cultivation the few remaining less suitable, which are some care could be taken to root, bush, scrub and a few stumps. If these were cleared off now, and the lots ploughed this fall, it would be possible to obtain the best results for the crop of 1919, when, unless some great change takes place, all food production will be even more urgently needed than to-day.

The Committee will be glad to allot to any applicants any such land that may be available. J. L. Macmillan of Belmont House, or the undersigned, will gladly give any information in his power.

ARTHUR S. BARTON,  
Victoria, June 7.

A. S. Barton, Esq.,  
Chairman of Win-the-War League,  
Esquimalt, B. C.

Dear Sirs.—We beg to make the following special war rate for extra cultivation in Esquimalt for the year 1918:

All water used over and above that used in 1916 for parallel month will be charged at ten cents per thousand gallons.

This course was pursued in 1917.

In case of a vacant lot being cultivated for first time we will charge all water at ten cents per thousand with first the minimum charge of \$1.25 per month including meter rent.

Yours, truly,  
THE ESQUIMALT WATERWORKS,  
Per E. B. Halsall, Secretary.

## FAIR PLAY FOR DOGS.

To the Editor.—In answer to one in your paper of the 5th, I should like to say that I cannot possibly see how standing up for justice and fair play for dogs (and other animals) is hurting the work of the Blue-Cross. I have had many kind thanks given me by members of that society and others for writing as I did, so they evidently thought it was quite in order. Mention had been made in letters from others of a returned soldier being offered the position of dog-catcher and I quite agree with them in thinking that no soldier would care for that

wickedness of nations, there would be no war. Dogs are simply d.ing. their bit" there, in helping our poor men. A true friend of animals does not leave them simply for their usefulness, or one could almost imagine the idea, in these strenuous times, when Canada is getting short of food, of gathering up all the women no longer useful, and the men too old for the front, confining them in an institution, and finally dispatching them to a lethal chamber, rather than have them live on rations, poor things!

NEOTA YONG HEWLINGS,  
Hon. Sec. Blue Cross.

## FOR DOGS.

To the Editor.—Recently a letter appeared in your paper, criticizing one

of the members of the Blue-Cross Society.

I beg to say that such criticism is

unjustified for, as her letter could not possibly, in any way injure the

work of the Blue-Cross.

I cannot agree with "Friend of

Animals," in saying that the proper

place of usefulness for horses and dogs

is at the front, for were it not for the

work of the Blue-Cross, the

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Very dainty silks are employed throughout, including China and Jap silks, silk crepe-de-chine, taffeta and poplins. In shades biscuit, navy, royal blue, dark green, emerald, brown, Copenhagen, mahogany and black. The very latest novelties for summer wear.

You will appreciate the values.

—Mantles, First Floor



## Children's and Misses' Hose

In many different grades and styles, all specially made for summer wear. We are offering many very special values. You will do well to take note of them.

Boys' and Girls' Strong Cotton Hose, in black and tan all sizes, selling at a very low price, a pair ..... **35¢**

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Children's Socks, in black, white, sky and pink; superior finish. A pair ..... **25¢**

Children's Fancy Socks, a pair, **35¢**. 3 pairs for ..... **\$1.00**

Children's Silk Lisle Socks, fancy design, superior grade. At a pair ..... **50¢**

—Hose, Main Floor

## Soft Liberty Satins at 50c a Yard

All pure silk, with a soft, rich appearance and beautiful shades of sky, reseda, royal blue, botte green, mignonette, Belgium blue, moss green, navy blue, Nile green, saxe blue and Copenhagen. Splendid for blouses, coat linings and art work.

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A nice quality Silk Poplin for ladies' suits, skirts and dresses. A quality we are selling at nearly one-third below its regular price. The shades are navy, royal, reseda, claret, brown, taupe, dark grey, old rose, emerald, sand and black. Exceptional value, a yard ..... **\$1.09**

—Silks, Main Floor

## A New Shipment of Bon-Ton and Royal Worcester Corsets

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The more careful you are to make up your mind on the styles of the season as applied to your individual figure the more delighted you will be with these new Bon-Ton and Royal Worcester models just received.

It is truly a beautiful assortment. Many are made in brocaded materials, featuring the low bust and long hips, in styles and sizes to fit all figures. There are also models to suit the heavier figure requiring more support.

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Royal Worcester prices range **\$1.75** to ..... **\$4.50**

—Corsets, First Floor

## Inexpensive Whitewear Values a Strong Feature for Monday

The lower priced articles in Women's White Undermuslins will receive special attention on Monday. Many attractively designed and well-made garments have been arranged in this sale and will be the cause of creating quick selling.

Some of the garments included are:

Corset Covers at 35c.

—Of strong white cotton, yoke of embroidery, lace trimmed. June White Sale, each ..... **35¢**

Cotton Undershirts at 65c.

—Good quality cotton, finished with tucked frill, trimmed with Torchon lace. June White Sale ..... **65¢**

Cotton Chemises, 50c.

—Strong white cotton, trimmed with imitation Torchon lace. June White Sale ..... **50¢**

—Waists, First Floor

## Silk Gloves for Outing Wear

"Queen Quality" and "Kaiser" Silk Gloves, in all the leading colors; also black and white, with self and black points. A pair, **75¢**, **85¢**, **\$1.00** and ..... **\$1.25**

Also a special line of White Lisle Thread Gloves, selling at a pair ..... **50¢**

—Gloves, Main Floor

## Clearing Odd Lines in Ladies' Pyjamas

Values to **\$3.75**, Monday **\$1.75**.

A good assortment in summer weight, but most are slightly shop soiled. We clean up the lot at a bargain price.

—Whitewear, First Floor

## Warmer Weather Increases the Necessity for Fly Doors and Window Screens

Must have plenty of fresh air in the home —health demands it. To leave your doors and windows open unprotected is but to admit swarms of flies—another danger to health to say nothing of the inconvenience and annoyance.

Have your home thoroughly protected with Spencer's Fly Doors and Window Screens—the best that are made, and which cost you no more than the inferior grades. We have Screen Doors in all sizes at prices up from ..... **\$1.75**

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14 in.	22 in.	36 in.	18 in.	18 in.	28 in.	22 in.	22 in.	36 in.
14 in.	26 in.	44 in.	18 in.	20 in.	32 in.	22 in.	26 in.	44 in.

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—Hardware, Second Floor



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Order your length on Monday while the price is **\$6.25** complete.

—Hardware, Second Floor

## 2,500 Yards Beautiful Cretonnes at 65c a Yard Monday

Seventy-five different designs and colorings in this assortment to choose from. A range sufficiently large to warrant our believing that practically all your needs in the way of draperies for household uses can be filled from this assortment. There are designs and colorings specially suited for window drapes and side curtains; others for loose covers, while still others will make useful coverings for box ottomans and upholstered furniture. Be sure and see these and take advantage of the special price, a yard ..... **65¢**

—Drapery, Third Floor

## Latest Reprints at 75c Good Values in Men's Shirts

The Yellow Dove. By Geo. Gibbs.

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Peg o' My Heart. By J. Hartley Manners.

Thankful's Inheritance. By Jos. Lincoln.

Little Sir Galahad. By Phoebe Grey.

The Valley of the Moon. By Jack London.

Michael O'Halloran. By Jean Stratton Porter.

—Books, Main Floor

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Making up your own sheets from the sheeting is one way of saving money and getting better satisfaction.

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Buy your sheeting while these prices hold good.

Bleached Sheetings, 1 1/4 yards wide, at a yard, **55¢**, **60¢**, **75¢** and ..... **80¢**

Bleached Sheetings, 2 and 2 1/4 yards wide, at a yard, **55¢**, **60¢**, **65¢**, **75¢** up to ..... **\$1.00**

Bleached Sheetings, 2 1/2 yards wide, at a yard, **75¢**, **80¢** and to ..... **\$1.00**

Unbleached Sheetings, 1 1/4 yards, at **60¢** and 2 and 2 1/4 at, a yard, **55¢** and ..... **60¢**

—Staple Department, Main Floor

## Cut Glass Vases

In a large range of new designs. Very dainty pieces and very suitable for wedding or birthday gifts.

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**IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN**

**PROTESTANT HOME****DOES GOOD WORK**

Annual "Pound Day" Fixed for June 28; Many Donations Received

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Committee of the Protestant Orphanage was held on Tuesday at the Home. In the absence of the President, the vice-president, Mrs. McCulloch, presided, and the following members attended: Mesdames Higgins, Kenworthy, Cameron, Todd, Walker, Beard, Bradshaw, Huckel, Sayward, Andrews, Hammond, Munroe, Hiscocks, Sherwood, Leathwaite, Spencer, and the Misses Todd, and Braithwaite.

Before the business of the meeting was taken up a motion was made by Mrs. Hiscocks, seconded by Miss Tolmie, and carried unanimously amid hearty applause, that a letter of good wishes and congratulation be sent to Dr. J. S. Helmcken on the occasion of his ninety-fourth birthday.

**Visiting Committee's Report.**

The Visiting Committee reported visiting at regular intervals and finding the Home much fresher after the spring cleaning. Much-needed linens had been purchased. The cases of wash were in good condition.

The date of the annual pound party was fixed for June 28, and hope was expressed that friends will keep this date free and remember the needs of the children in their usual whole-hearted, generous way.

Bills amounting to \$397.45 were passed, and after reading the donation list the meeting closed with prayer.

**List of Donations.**

The Committee gratefully acknowledged the following donations:

Jam—Hawthorn Circle of King's Daughters, Mrs. Reid, Miss Newbury, a Friend, Mr. Butt.

Clothing—Ministering Circle of King's Daughters, Mrs. Dorman, Miss Braik, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. G. H. Brown.

Fruit and vegetables—Mrs. McTavish, Mrs. Higgins, Mrs. Glendinning, Mrs. Barnard, Mrs. Dorman, Mrs. Curtis Sampson, Mrs. Munroe, Mrs. Todd.

Cake, sandwiches—Mrs. Murray, Mrs. McTavish, a Friend, Mrs. Murray.

Toys—Mr. Lange.

Cash—Miss M. A. Tolmie, \$5; Dr. Bryant, Times and Colonist.

**Social & Personal**

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien de Bury, of Montreal, who have been spending the past week at the Empress Hotel, have returned to Vancouver.

Col. H. Appleton, who has loaned his collection of Hiroshige prints to Vancouver for exhibition for patriotic purposes, is in the mainland city, and during his short stay is a guest at the Jermine Club.

Cake, sandwiches—Mrs. Murray, Mrs. McTavish, a Friend, Mrs. Murray.

Toys—Mr. Lange.

Cash—Miss M. A. Tolmie, \$5; Dr. Bryant, Times and Colonist.

**TO-DAY'S AMUSEMENTS**

Princess—The King of the Cannibal Isles.

Pantages—Vaudeville.

Variety—William S. Hart in "The Tiger Man."

Columbia—Douglas Fairbanks in "Wild and Woolly."

Romano—Ruth Clifford in "Hungry Eyes."

Royal Victoria—Harold Lockwood in "Under Handicap."

Dominion—"My Four Years in Germany."

**ROYAL VICTORIA**

For the last time to-night the Royal Victoria will show Harold Lockwood

"Under Handicap" and Fatty Arbuckle in his latest comedy, "The Bell Boy."

These pictures will be shown at 8:30 p.m. and 10 p.m.

Mr. Gerard's refusal to sign an agreement with American exhibitors to release German boats interned at American piers. Mr. Gerard's refusal to sign on the dotted line and his statement that before doing so he "would stay in Germany until Hell freezes over" supply one of the exciting incidents of the evening.

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**VARIETY**

In his Aircraft picture, "The

Tiger Man," Wm. S. Hart, the Thomas

H. Ince star, has a new leading lady in

Jane Novak. The production was made

in New Mexico, with its picturesque

adobe towns and the no less picture-

que characters made famous in song

and story and picture. Milton Ross,

Robert Lawrence and Charles K.

French are other important players in

the picture, which was written by J. G.

Hawks and directed by Mr. Hart.

Some exquisite, albeit rugged scenery

has formed the setting for the picture,

and Hart is said to have been supplied

with a role that is no less rugged than

the character against which it is

thrown into strong relief.

"The Tiger Man" will be shown at

the Variety Theatre to-night for the

last time.

**ROMANO**

TO-DAY

MONROE

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Charlie Chaplin in

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**Fancy Afternoon and Street Dresses on Sale Monday at \$19.50 Each**

THIS DRESS OFFERING presents a particularly desirable opportunity to make satisfactory selection at a very moderate cost. It is an event which can not but appeal to women who desire to economize. The models were purchased at a figure that permits us to sell them at a very low price—a fact that you will readily appreciate, once you inspect the models concerned. The assortments embrace effective styles in Taffeta Silk, Crepe de Chine, Messaline, Foulards and various fabric combinations, in such colors as navy, biscuit, maize, rose, green, old rose, grey, mustard and also white. View the window showing.

These Are Exceptional Value at \$19.50 Each

**VIEW THE DISPLAY IN THE BABY DEPARTMENT MONDAY**



**Special Show of Cotton Wash Fabrics Commencing Monday**

Consisting of Novelty and Plain Beach Cloths, Batistes, Voiles, Silk Tissues, Mulls, Poplins, Ducks, Repps, Dimities, etc., in splendid assortments. The following list includes a few of our most popular lines:

40-inch Novelty Batiste — Special, 35c per yard. Shown in a large assortment of floral designs on white ground.

40-inch Novelty Voiles — Special, 45c, 60c, 65c, 75c and 95c per yard. A good collection shown at these prices; stripes and dainty floral patterns.

40-inch Novelty Silk Tissue — Special, 95c per yard. A sheer material, in attractive designs and delicate colorings.

40-inch Novelty Stripe Voiles and French Voiles—Special, 50c per yard. A very fine quality. Shown in pink, sky, maize, canary, reseda, old rose, tan, Alice, Copenhagen, helio and ivory.

36-inch Colored Beach Cloth Suiting, 75c and 85c per yard. These are good value and are shown in fashionable colors.

36-inch Colored Santoy Suiting—Special, 85c per yard. A medium weight cotton suiting, similar to linen. Shown in apple green, reseda, old rose, tan, Alice, Copenhagen, helio and ivory.

Sayward Building  
1211 Douglas Street

Two quiet weddings took place in the vestry at the First Presbyterian Church at 11 o'clock this morning when the Rev. J. G. Isketer united in marriage Pte. William Frederick Robinson, of the local military forces, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Robinson, of Langley, B. C., and Miss Jean Dockstader, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Dockstader, of Port Hawley, B. C. The couple were married at the church, and she is a guest at the Victoria Club, Campbell Building.

Back and forth, up and down and sideways the cherries banged the skeezecks, until he cried:

"Oh, wow! This is too much! Oh, never did I expect this. Never did I see cherries act this way. What kind of cherries are you, for mercy's sake?"

"We are wild cherries," was the answer, "and we always get as wild as hawks whenever any one tries to hurt them." "Well, I expect you to hurt them," said Uncle Wiggly, as he came out just then. "I'm very fond of cherries," he said. "Get ready the tins, Nurse Jane," he cried. "I'll bring the cherries."

So off to the woods went the bunny uncle and the two little puppy dogs. Nurse Jane watched them go and shook her head.

"He'll never get over being young," she said. "Never! He's just a boy himself. Well, I hope it does him good."

She could have seen Uncle Wiggly then she would have thought so, for he was skipping over the fields and through the woods with Jackie and Peetie Bow-Wow, the puppy dog boys.

Pretty soon they came to a grove of trees and the puppy dog boys barked.

"Oh, here are the cherries! Let's pick our pockets full!"

"And I'll pick my tall silk hat full!" said Uncle Wiggly. "I will hold a lot and if you can't get enough in your pockets, boys, you may have some from mine."

Most of the cherries grew far up in the tree, and Uncle Wiggly and Jackie and Peetie wouldn't have been able to reach many, only along came Johnnie and Billie Bushytail, the squirrel boys. The squirrels were used to climbing trees, and they soon broadened out, many cherries as the rabbit gentle and the puppy dog boys wanted. Jackie and Peetie filled their pockets and Uncle Wiggly filled his tall silk hat.

"And now we must take our cherries home to our mother, to make a pie," said Jackie and Peetie, as they gave Johnnie and Billie some.

"And I must take mine home to Nurse Jane," said Uncle Wiggly. "I guess she thought I wouldn't get any, but I did!"

He hopped on by himself through the woods on his way to his hollow stump bungalow, and the puppy dog boys and the squirrel chaps went their way.

Uncle Wiggly was almost home when, all of a sudden, out from behind

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Gladys Rice, Helen Clark and Marion Evelyn Cox.

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## ESQUIMALT PATIENTS

### ENJOY BAND CONCERT

"J" Unit Chapter Served Tea;  
Many Visitors Attend Pleasurable Affair

Despite the somewhat dull weather, a large number of visitors attended the open air concert given at Esquimalt Military Convalescent Hospital yesterday afternoon by the Fifth Regiment Band, and the event proved such a success that Sergt. King and his fellow-members of the recreation committee decided to have a band to play the concert every fortnight, with the kind permission of Col. Angus. The band took up its position under the trees near the tennis court and all of the patients, with but few exceptions, gathered round with their friends and enjoyed the delightful program arranged by Bandmaster Smith.

Twenty-fourty dollars were made for tea, which was served in the open air on the lawn, from a big marquee erected for the occasion. The members of "J" Unit Chapter, I. O. D. E., generously donated the tea and a number of the members, headed by the regent, Mrs. North, acted as waiters and waited upon the patients and the bandmen, who did ample justice to the good things provided.

The full programme of music follows:

March—Soldi Men ..... Sous Overture—Firefly ..... Freine Selection—Valve Bleue ..... Grant Selection—Down the Mississippi ..... Seter Cornet Selection—The Star-Spangled Banner ..... Arnes Chilian Dance—Banana ..... Missud Selection—Jack o' Lantern ..... Ian Caryl March—All Comrades

**CARRIE JACOBS-BOND;  
THE GIFTED COMPOSER**

Carrie Jacobs-Bond combines the composer, the poet, the philosopher, and the successful business woman. The story of this popular composer reads like a fairy tale.

Mrs. Bond began life as most girls do with a vague dream "of doing things." She drifted through her girlhood studying painting as well as music, little realizing the place she was to take in the latter art.

The first years of her married life were spent in Northern Michigan among the pines and hemlock where for several happy years she lived in close contact with nature. During this time, no doubt, she developed her fine sense of the beauty that lies in the everyday phases of life. Her poems are written above memories and emotions common to all humanity. "The James Whitcomb Riley of melody and song," she has been aptly called. Riley's poems came from a heart as genuine and loving as a child's, and it is the same quality of simplicity and kindness that has carried Mrs. Bond's songs into every village and hamlet that can sing a tune.

Words, thoughts, music, even the design on the title page, are created and combined in a perfect harmony by this remarkable woman. Also her recitals have an originality and charm of their own. While not possessing exactly a singing voice, in speaking, it is music itself and Mrs. Bond's interpretations of her songs have brought delight to fortunate audiences.

Her most famous song, "A Perfect Day," has run into millions of copies and is undeniably the song success of the century. Great artists have found just what they need to touch the hearts of their hearers. It is heard at concert, wedding, dance and church service.

Likewise, what mind does not relax with pleasant anticipation at the first strains of "Just a Wearing for You" or "I Love You Truly." There is an atmosphere about the very first note of any of Mrs. Bond's songs that brings with them comfortable thoughts of good friends, good books and a cosy fireside.

The control over graded degrees of resonance by a pedal crescendo and diminuendo is a delicate effect requiring much thoughtful practice.

**MUSIC IS ENTITLED  
TO JUST RECOGNITION**

Just so long as music in any form is looked upon by the mass of the people simply as an entertainer or as being all very well for those who care for it, or for the few that cultivate art for art's sake, or for church service on Sunday, or for the amusement of the people at a cabaret or musical comedy house, but that it has no place in the serious life of the people, just so long will the music teacher, the music teacher, the musical manager, the singer, the artist, the composer, the conductor not receive the recognition that is due them.

Now, then, if there is anything that we know it is that great changes in popular sentiment, especially in a country still dominated by a Calvinism which was opposed to music, can only be accomplished by a process of education.

This logically leads to the conclusion that it is absolutely necessary for all those interested in the musical world, in the musical industries, for all music lovers to get together so that they may present a united front and hold up the hands of those who have undertaken the work of educating the people to the point where they may regard the musician, and especially the music teacher, not as belonging to a separate, indeed to a lower class, but as belonging to the highest class, to the class of those who lead in that culture which means the progress of humanity out of the merely material into the spiritual.

The coarser and more grisly meat is the more slowly it should be cooked. Slow cooking renders the sinewy portions and tough fibres as soft as jelly, which state they are good to eat and very nourishing.

## VALUE OF MUSIC IN

### MAINTAINING MORALE

Musicians Render Invaluable Service Among the Armies at the Front

At no time has the morale of the army been more conspicuously before the world, and at no time have the military authorities been more keenly alive to the necessity of preserving or improving the morale of the men.

One of the first features to be brought to the attention of the contractors was the necessity for making the men as comfortable as possible during the period of their stay in the awful days in the trenches. Every device that human ingenuity could invent was brought to the aid of the humblest private soldier because the infernal nightmare of the trenches and "No Man's Land" would inevitably drive the best balanced man insane in short order unless counteracted effectively.

For this reason even the most hardened and practical among the commanders soon saw the necessity for entertainment and the roll of musicians who have done their share in lightening the burdens and inspiring the hearts of the soldiers is a long and honorable one. The longer the war lasts, the more desperate it becomes, the more need will there be of singers or instrumental performers to go, if not to the trenches at least as near to them as they dare, with their message of cheer of comfort and of inspiration.

But this is not all, for almost as hard to bear is the part of the soldiers at homes. The parents or the children of the men at the front or those who are connected with them by ties of affection are driven almost to the verge of madness by worry and anxiety over the fate of their boys in the trenches. If ever a civilized world cried aloud for music, a sweet music appealing music, comforting and inspiring music, it is now—not the ugly cacophony of the clever, sure de force of our latest fashions, but the sweet music which need neither explanation nor apology.

The music teacher can help with the war first by doing his duty as a citizen, asking no immunities nor special privileges because of his art, but bearing his or her share like a citizen of no mean country. The reproach that musicians take no interest in the community or political life must be buried under an avalanche of public service by the musical profession. A great calamity such as this somehow, some spiritual values must be emphasized.

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The pedal is also an aid in artistic phrasing.

The control over graded degrees of resonance by a pedal crescendo and diminuendo is a delicate effect requiring much thoughtful practice.

**PARKSVILLE WOMEN**—Parksville Women's Institute held their monthly meeting June 5 with a better attendance than usual. Mrs. McGill, of Victoria, gave a very interesting talk on "Fibre and Welfare Government;" also "Welfare of Children." She said the Government had tried to make this department in hand, and it was run on a very large and elaborate scale in Vancouver. In Alberta it spread over like a network. Arrangements were made for the flower show which takes place July 4. Several new committees were formed.

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## TO RELATE STORY

### OF QUEBEC BRIDGE

Great Cantilever Structure Will Be Theme of George F. Porter Here

Concluding a tour of the Dominion explaining the details of the construction of the great cantilever bridge across the St. Lawrence River, near Quebec, G. F. Porter, member of the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers, will speak at the new High School auditorium under the auspices of the society on Wednesday evening.

The work being a national one, and having been accomplished after two serious accidents, the first entailing a great loss of life during August, 1907, the Victoria Branch extends a hearty invitation to the public to attend.

Mr. Porter lectured last evening at Vancouver. Previously he had spoken at all the western branch centres. Of the four lectures on the subject which are to form an exhaustive engineering record of construction, he takes of the erection of the superstructure. A number of splendid lantern pictures will illustrate the subject.

**The Lecture.**

G. H. Duggan, chief engineer of the work, the speech of Mr. Porter's work as engineer of construction for the contracting company, the St. Lawrence Bridge Company, "To him belongs a very large share of the credit for the conduct of the work. In addition to his assistance in preparing the details for our tender designs, he acted as resident engineer throughout, overseeing the preparation of shop drawings and the detailed design of erection equipment at Montreal during the winter, and during the summer residing at the site in responsible charge of the field operations. From the outset the work was carried on so satisfactorily that much more responsibility than generally falls to the position was placed upon him with the utmost confidence."

**The Bridge.**

At the time of the erection of the Quebec Bridge, with the exception of the Forte Bridge, all existing structures were too minute to span that the chief precedent for the problem in hand were the Forte Bridge and the Phoenix design of the Quebec Bridge, which failed in 1907. The Forte cantilevers are each of 1710 feet span and the Quebec cantilever as erected is 1,800 feet, the longest cantilever span in existence, that length being restored after differences among engineers.

When the Forte Bridge was erected plenty of men trained in steel shipbuilding on the Clyde were available, climatic conditions permitting the work to be carried on at all seasons of the year, and a large force amounting at times to 4,000 men were employed at or near the site continuously throughout the year. In Quebec, however, skilled mechanics in numbers sufficient for a similar method of construction were not available. Much of the work was fabricated elsewhere, and the field and shop force did not exceed 1,000 men at any time.

## VETERANS GO AGAIN AT COUNTRY'S CALL

Will Raise Railway Construction Unit From Among Their Members

The Army and Navy Veterans in Canada, with headquarters in Regina have offered to raise from men of their Association a labor company or drafts for overseas service. This offer has been submitted to the Overseas Authorities and 250 men will be accepted for railway construction work.

Orders have been received from Ottawa to proceed at once to recruit men in order that they may leave for overseas with as little delay as possible, the demand for men in this branch being very great at present. As far as Victoria is concerned the machinery for recruiting is already in motion. Captain T. A. Underwood arrived in this city this week and completed all arrangements.

C. F. L. Money, a veteran of the South Africa Constabulary, where he served as captain, and of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police, has been appointed recruiting officer for Victoria with headquarters at the Army and Navy Veterans' rooms on Langley Street.

It is hoped that Victoria will be able to raise a draft of fifty men. As each is enlisted they will be sent on to Regina and when the full fifty has been signed on Mr. Money will also proceed East. Recruiting is now proceeding at the various branches of the association throughout Western Canada.

The new organization is one of great interest owing to the fact that all the members of the unit must be veterans who have seen previous service, and they must be members of the Army and Navy Veterans' Association.

The men must not be over fifty years of age, and must be physically fit.

See Registrar Lennie.—Major-General Leckie, G. O. C., arrived back in Victoria yesterday after paying a visit to Registrar R. S. Lennie for the purpose of inspecting the men in the unit, pertaining to the administration of the Military Service Act. While at the Terminal City he inspected troops just recently arrived from Hongkong.



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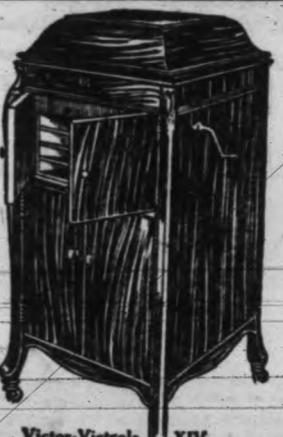
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**Elects for Trial.**—W. N. Mc-  
charged with breaking into and entering a Chinaman's shack at Goldstream on May 31 and stealing \$2, appeared before Judge Lampman in the County Court yesterday afternoon and elected to be tried by jury, and his case will come up at the next Assize. R. C. Lowe, counsel for accused, asked that his client be allowed out on bail, which His Honor allowed, the sum at \$400, in two sureties of \$200 each. J. S. Brandon appeared for the Crown.

**Fire Wardens' Committee.**—As a sequel to the alteration in the equipment at the halls, the Fire Wardens' Committee met this afternoon to authorize certain changes, and also to award contracts for repairs and painting at the halls.

### USED CAR GARAGE

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**Drawing for Tray.**—The winner of the French pen painted tray raffled by the R. W. B. Knitting Club was won by Mrs. Murdoch, 1010 Suley Street, with ticket No. 110.

**The Lady Douglas Chapter, I. O. D.** meets in the Arcade Building, Tuesday, 2:30 p. m.

**Blue Band Dinner Set for \$23.50.**—Good English semi-porcelain: 12 cups and saucers, 12 dinner plates, 12 tea plates, 12 soup plates, 12 dessert plates, 2 covers, 2 side plates, 2 meat dishes, 2 jugs, 1 bowl, 1 salad bowl, 1 sauce tureen, 1 gravy boat. Get one to-day. They are getting scarce. R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas St.

**Adjourned Till Monday.**—The Court of Appeal was adjourned yesterday Monday after hearing considerable of the evidence in the matter of the Dominion Trust Company, which when John C. Michaelis is appealing on behalf of one of the shareholders against an order made February 12 by Mr. Justice Murphy respecting the winding up of the Old Company.

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Information Requested.—Information is requested by the military authorities as to the whereabouts of Lieutenant George Willis Elliott, Middlesex Regiment, Machine Gun Corps. Notification may be sent to the A. A. G. in care of Administration, M. I. N. 11, Room 7 Belmont House, Victoria, by anyone having information to give in the matter.

Wants Immediate Attention.—Action will be taken on Monday to move the express stand from lower Yates Street, as surfacing of the street begins on that day, the concrete base being already laid. One suggestion offered yesterday, when the matter was mentioned in the Civic Streets Committee, was that they should be moved to Wharf Street, between Johnson and Yates Streets.

Returning Home.—The British Columbia Returned Soldiers' Commission, Parliament Buildings, has been advised by telegram from the O. C. Clearing Depot, Halifax, that the following small party left there for their homes on Thursday, June 6: For Vancouver, Major R. Gibson, Lieutenant R. F. Haig, S. Hugh. For Duncan, Nursing Sister M. McBride. For Nanaimo, C. G. Stevens.

Opium Raid.—Two Chinamen, Wo Low and Wo were each fined \$15 and \$20 costs by Magistrate Jay in the Police Court this morning for being inmates of an opium den. Sergeant Fry told the Court how he and Sergeant Boyd had entered a room at the back of a store at 536 Cormorant Street last night and found the two "Orientals. Pipes and other paraphernalia were also discovered and produced as evidence.

Probate Granted.—In the Supreme Court Registry this week only one probate was granted, that of Mr. A. E. Wilton, who died at New Westminster. The following were also granted: Administration with will annexed—Archie Hunting, who was killed while on active service; administration—Margaret Elizabeth Jalland, formerly of Saanich.

Will Attend Soldiers.—Major R. B. Boucher, specialist in eye, ear, throat and nose troubles has been appointed to look after returned soldiers in Military District No. 11, under Col. McTavish, who is in command of the Corps of Consulting Specialist in such cases will also considerably in dealing with a large number of the patients now under treatment. Major Boucher was practising in Vancouver prior to the outbreak of war. He went overseas with the 1st Canadian Contingent, having had difficulty from this particular service in the past, owing to the location of the house in relation to the mains.

Old Trouble.—R. Tait yesterday to the Civic Streets Committee yesterday drawing attention to the difficulty of securing water, although located close to Smith's Hill Reservoir, and suggested steps to meet the situation for the high levels. The Committee agreed to receive a report on the subject from the Water Commissioner, who has had difficulty from this particular service in the past, owing to the location of the house in relation to the mains.

Welcome Club.—At a meeting of the Victoria Returned Soldiers' Welcome Club, held in the Y. M. C. A. on Wednesday evening last, it was proposed to hold bi-monthly meetings, commencing in July, notice of which will appear in the press. A special public meeting will be held shortly, the place and time of which will be announced later. The resignation of ex-Major Alan Stewart, who recently married, and Mr. Seabrook Young was elected President. New names are continually being added to the list of those who have autos and are willing to convey the returning men from the boat to their homes, such as do not have to report to the Convalescent Hospital for treatment and are not met by the military authorities.

School Attendance.—A decline in the school attendance at City Schools is reported for the month of May. The figures for the various schools were as follows: High 562; Boys' Central, 408; Girls' Central, 464; Bank Street, 169; Beach Central, 142; Burdett, 223; C. O. 27; Fernwood, 67; George Jay, 262; King's Road, 122; Kingston, 190; Marquis, 229; Quadra, 232; Sir James Douglas, 357; South Park, 334; Special, 15; Spring Ridge, 155; Victoria West, 364. Total, 5,085, and a decrease of 130 on April of this year. It is, however, an advance of seventy-nine on the corresponding month of 1917.

The above are apart from the civilian employees at the Military Hospitals.

STRUCK OFF LIST

Number of Officers in Railway Service

Gurd Demobilized.

The following officers have been struck off the strength of the Railway Service Guard and demobilized, with effect from May 31, last:

Lieut. James Henry Bushnell, 72nd Regiment, S. H. of C.

Lieut. Ronald O'Hanley, 104th Regiment, W. F. of C.

Lieut. Robert Elliott Connolly, 102nd Regiment, R. M. R.

Lieut. Robert Arthur Barton, 102nd Regiment, R. M. R.

Lieut. James Foster Christie, 11th Regiment, L. F. of C.

Lieut. Charles Randolph Watson, 72nd Regiment, S. H. of C.

Lieut. Walter Bowden, 102nd Regiment, R. M. R.

Lieut. Alexander Gilbert Blair, 6th Regiment, D. C. O. R.

PUBLIC NOTICE

In order to meet the wishes of the Canadian Registration Board, I am endeavoring to provide a maximum of Registration at a minimum of cost, and from present appearances will be able to have a full volunteer staff for service as well as a complete list of free Registration booths.

Everybody seems to want to do his bit. Churches, fraternal societies, the School Board, school teachers, women's societies, Rotary Club, and individuals are tendering their help.

For the convenience of employees of the City, I will place a Registration booth in their offices, and shall be glad to make designated members of their respective staffs, deputies and assistant deputies for the day.

I am desirous of hearing still further from any centres of people where it will be an advantage to all concerned to have booths placed.

Where notified of the need, I shall be glad to have a deputy wait on the sick and infirm at their residences.

A complete list of places of registration will be published in a few days, so if any store, public building, shipyard, railway works, public hall will accommodate me with booth facilities, I will accommodate them.

I might add that contrary to previous expectations registration day is not likely to be a public holiday.

W. G. GAUNCE, Registrar.

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The above are apart from the civilian employees at the Military Hospitals.

DROWNED IN SEA

Ivy Margaret Cliff fell from Bank

into Water of Strait Yesterday Evening.

A steep bank and a sudden drop into the sea last night ended the life of Ivy Margaret, the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff, who reside at 322 Armit Road. The child was swimming in the water when she reached a point a short distance away when the boy dropped down a sheer twenty-feet. Here she had apparently slipped and fallen into the shallow water beneath. Her small brother, noticing her absence, going in search of his sister, found her body lying in the sea. The boy summoned help immediately and a sailor who happened to be near, used artificial respiration until Dr. Bryant, who was summoned, arrived and announced life extinct. The body was taken to the Sandie Funeral Parlors, whence the funeral will be held on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. Robert Hughes officiating.

FORTH ANNIVERSARY

Province Will Follow the Practice

Last Three Years and Re-Affirm Determination.

On August 4 next British Columbia, in common with the other Provinces of the Dominion, will observe the fourth anniversary of Great Britain's entry into the world war. Ceremonial similar to that which has marked the fatal day other years will be followed, and this resolution will crystallize the sentiment of every Briton.

Resolved, that on this fourth anniversary of the declaration of a righteous war, this meeting records its inflexible determination to continue to a victorious end the struggle in maintenance of those ideals of liberty and justice which are the common and sacred cause of the Allies.

Sir Robert Borden has already informed Premier Oliver that it is hoped the various provincial governments, in co-operation with public bodies, the clergy, and patriotic organizations will take part in the ceremonies. Needless to say the British Columbia government will co-operate heartily in the plan with the support of the various centres throughout the Province.

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With 350 passengers and a full cargo the Pacific Steamship Company's liner Governor, Capt. Thomas, cleared Seattle yesterday for San Francisco direct. She is still operating with her sister-ship, the Pacific, which is now at the north entrance of the entrance to Puget Sound, up in arms against the removal of the power life-saving boat from the station and the disbanding of the crew.

Strong protests are being made against the removal of the life-saving boat, particularly in view of the fact that the fishing season is now at its best along this section of the coast, and the lives of fishermen frequently in danger while fishing with the element. George Fraser, of Ucluelet, in a letter to The Times, under the date of June 3, says: "Just now, when the fishing season is at its best, the lifeboat has been taken away and the crew disbanded. So far no serious accidents have happened, but in case of the fishing boats here were not built for the open ocean and hardly a day passes but some of them have to be towed in, either from engine trouble, or some other cause. Many of the men engaged in fishing operations, among which are some returned soldiers, are not experts in the handling of boats, and it is not fair that all Government responsibility should cease just at this time."

One of the hardships of the fisherman through the want of the life-saving boat is that another fishing boat has to lose a day's fishing if it goes to the assistance of a boat in distress, and as there are always some boats being towed in, it means quite a loss to the industry."

Mr. Fraser says there are between 200 and 250 fishing boats of all types, mostly from three to seven tons, engaged in fishing out of Ucluelet.

FOG SYREN WILL  
SOON BE ERECTED  
AT OGDEN POINT

Announcement was made at the Marine Department this morning that the submarine cable by which electricity will be conducted to operate the automatic fog-signal to be installed at the end of the Ogden Point breakwater, has been delivered here.

When the machinery arrives from the East an immediate start will be made in erecting the fog syren, which, it is anticipated, will be in operation before the advent of the foggy season. The horn will be automatically operated by means of air compressors run by electric motor. The new fog signal will be housed in the direction of Race Rocks, and will give a blast every fifteen seconds.

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WORKING IN HARMONY  
SAYS ALEX. WATCHMAN

Alexander Watchman, district organizer for the ship carpenters and joiners, this morning denied that any serious friction existed between any section and the carpenters in the recent strike settlement. "There are a few minor matters to be adjusted," said Mr. Watchman, "and this is being done."

"I want to say that the best of harmony now exists between the board and the labor organizations, and I am surprised at the reports that are being circulated predicting further trouble."

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HERE IN EARLY DAYS

The liner Awa Maru, which prior to the advent of the Fushimi type to the trans-Pacific trade, was a regular passenger and freight carrier between Hongkong, Yokohama, Victoria and Seattle, together with the steamer Toza Maru, has again been placed in the North Pacific service of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, according to an announcement made to-day by W. R. Price, Victoria agent of the premier Japanese shipping company.

The Awa Maru and the Toza Maru are now en route from Japan and are expected to put in an appearance on the coast next week. Although both vessels are equipped with excellent passenger accommodation, they are being operated as freighters. These ships are coming to this coast in the wake of the freighters Koso Maru, Taihei Maru and Yuhari Maru, recently announced as chartered by the N. Y. K. to relieve the freight congestion on this route.

The Awa Maru was operated in the Victoria service for several years in conjunction with such vessels as the Yokohama Maru, Matsuzakidzu Maru, Tamura Maru, Sado Maru, Kamakura Maru and Inaba Maru.

When this fleet was superseded by such magnificent ships as the Fushimi Maru, Suwa Maru, Katori Maru, Kashima Maru, Atsuta Maru and Kamo Maru, the Awa Maru was placed in the Port Said service, others of the old fleet being diverted to the European trade.

The Toza Maru, also a passenger and freight carrier, was one of the first of the N. Y. K. vessels to enter the North Pacific service.

Suwa Maru Due Tuesday.

The big Japanese liner Suwa Maru reported by wireless from seaward to-day that she will reach Victoria from China and Japan ports on Tuesday morning. She has 428 passengers all told, there being 156 in the saloon.

The liner has 152 passengers for disembarkation and will discharge 500 tons of cargo.

The liner Katori Maru got away to sea last night and she will be followed this evening by the steamship Atsuta Maru. A large party of Russians bound for the Russian interior via Yokohama and Vladivostok will embark on the Atsuta Maru following her arrival at the Outer Docks this afternoon from Seattle.

HARPATHIAN WAS  
KNOWN ON COASTVictim of Submarine Off Virginia Capes Formerly Traded  
in These Waters

The British steamship Harpathian, which was sunk last Wednesday off the Virginia Capes by a German submarine, was well-known in these waters, being a former trader to the North Pacific coast.

The big carrier was last on this coast in 1913 when she sailed from Tacoma, November 12, that year with a cargo of general merchandise and arrived at London, January 23, 1914. The vessel, on that voyage, was under charter to Balfour, Guthrie & Co.

The Harpathian was owned by J. and C. Harrison, Ltd., of Liverpool, which concern, in conjunction with the Crown Line, of Glasgow, until recently operated a regular fleet of steamships between Liverpool and Victoria via the Panama Canal, known as the Harrison Direct Line.

Since the enemy submarine campaign was inaugurated the Harrison Line has lost about a score of ships, including several of very large tonnage. In point of number of vessels lost this company has been harder hit than any other British shipping corporation.

The Harpathian was built at Sunderland in 1915. She was a carrier of 4,538 gross and 2,570 net tons, 380 feet long, fifty-three feet beam and twenty feet deep.

NANKING TO ENTER  
SERVICE OF CHINA  
MAIL VERY SHORTLY

Completely rebuilt, the former liner Congress, now the Nanking, will sail from Seattle early next week for San Francisco to enter the trans-Pacific service of the China Mail Steamship Company. While bound from San Francisco to Seattle in September, 1915, the old Congress caught fire off the Oregon coast and for several hours the lives of her 260 passengers and crew of seventy-eight men were seriously endangered. Clever seamanship displayed by Capt. N. E. Cousins, however, resulted in the burning steamship being maneuvered into the harbor at Coos Bay where her passengers and crew were taken off by steamship, answering the call of distress.

When the steamer was finally subdued, the fine coastwise liner was reduced to a mass of warped steel. About the time the negotiations which eventually brought about the merger of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company with the Alaska Pacific Steamship Company were in progress the former owners of the vessel determined to dispose of her. She was purchased by the China Mail for a sum said to be \$1,000,000, and has been rebuilt at a cost of \$800,000.

The Nanking will be commanded by Capt. T. H. Dobson, a well-known trans-Pacific mariner.

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VICTORIA NORTHWEST WORLD

VICTORIA MAN WITH  
VANCOUVER PRO TEAMMainland Scribe Talks of Taking  
Local Stickhandlers  
Into Minto Cup Company

Vancouver, June 8.—"Cotton" Brynjolfson will be in the Vancouver lineup against New Westminster at Brockton Point this afternoon, Con Jones, head of Vancouver's Minto Cup contenders, announced to-day. The Vancouver magnate visited Victoria early in the week and secured permission for the Capital City stickhandler to get away from his naval duties long enough to score a few goals for Vancouver in this week's cup battle.

While in Victoria, Con also had a talk with Cyril Baker, a clever home player, and it is altogether likely that he will be seen in action here before long. Baker is looking to break into the Minto Cup series, but has been laid up with an injured hip and it will be a fortnight before he is able to break into the game again. Con states that Billy Moresby and other Victoria veterans speak highly of Baker's ability and declare that he will make good in any company.

## Running Off Fat.

Tommy Burns, who is to referee this afternoon, has been working out himself this week and the players will have nothing on the former world's champion as far as condition is concerned. He is rapidly getting into his old fighting trim.

## LEAGUE BASEBALL

National.  
All games postponed—rain and wet grounds.American.  
At Cleveland—  
Boston ..... 7 11 3  
Chicago ..... 14 12 1  
Batteries—Leopard, Bush, Ruth, Molynex, Jones and Schang, Bagby, Groom, Combs and O'Neill.  
At St. Louis—  
New York ..... 1 9 3  
St. Louis ..... 0 8 1  
Batteries—Russell and Hanna; Shockert and Numamaker; Hale, Severud.  
Detroit ..... 6 5 4  
Washington ..... 9 12 2  
Detroit ..... 9 12 2  
Batteries—Ayers, Shaw and Pleinich; Boland, C. Jones, Daus, Hanson, and Yells.  
At Chicago—  
Philadelphia ..... 1 8 2  
Chicago ..... 2 6 1  
Batteries—Myers and McAvoy; Shellenback and Schalk. Coast.  
At Salt Lake—  
San Francisco ..... 1 8 1  
Salt Lake ..... 2 8 0  
Batteries—Kantleher and McKee; Penner and Konick.  
At Los Angeles—  
Sacramento ..... 1 5 1  
Vernon ..... 2 7 0  
Batteries—Bromley and Esterly; Cheek, R. Mitchell and Moore.  
At San Francisco—  
R. H. E.  
Los Angeles ..... 4 8 1  
Oakland ..... 3 7 1  
Batteries—Crandell and Boles; Krause and Murray.STRANGLER LEWIS  
TO MEET CADDOCK

Des Moines, Ia., June 8.—Sergt. Earl Caddock, of the National Army, world's heavyweight wrestling champion, and Ed "Strangler" Lewis, have signed articles for a championship wrestling match on June 20 in Des Moines. The match will be to a finish with a two-hour limit.

## BENNY KAUFF DRAFTED.

Pomeroy, Ohio, June 8.—Benny Kauff, outfielder of the New York Giants, to-day was ordered by his local draft board to report for military service on June 24. He probably will be sent to Camp Sheridan, Ohio.

LADY SWIMMERS WILL  
SPLASH AT QUAMICHANFame of Club is Spreading Up  
the Island; Accept  
Invitation

The Victoria Ladies' Swimming Club is appreciated outside of Victoria. This fact is demonstrated in a request just received from Lady Blackwood-Wilman of Quamichan Lake, that the fair nataitors journey to her summer house and give an exhibition in aid of the Duncan Blue Cross.

Mrs. Blackwood-Wilman says the ladies did not hesitate to accept the invitation with the greatest pleasure, and some of their foremost talent will travel to Quamichan Lake on July 18, where they will indulge in swimming and diving to the best of their ability. And every person who follows local sport at all knows that the aquatic ability of the Ladies' Swimming Club is unsurpassed on the Island. The ladies are sure to impress the residents of the more or less out of the way places have heard of the club and its numerous accomplishments. It is indeed an honor for the organization to be selected to fill this important engagement, and it will add much to its already large and glowing reputation. Not Spectacular.

The work of the Victoria Ladies' Swimming Club has none of the spectacular about it, but it is none the less useful for this season. Perhaps on this very account it has been able to achieve such remarkable results in teaching people to swim. It works along steadily and systematically and works its aquatic wonders without any celebrations or singing of paens.

On the other hand what the ladies do not lack is a sense of fun, and a sense of elaborate entertainments has been seen at its numerous splendid gains in the past. The swimming fraternity will look forward to seeing more of them in the future. In the meantime the exhibition at Quamichan on July 18 is the chief centre of attraction.

VICTORIA AMATEUR  
SWIMMING CLUB TO  
REORGANIZE SOON

The strong hold that the swimming game has on the athletic fraternity of this city is evidenced by the fact that another aquatic organization, the Victoria Amateur Swimming Club, intends to commence its activities anew. A meeting for the purpose of reorganizing the club will be held on Tuesday evening in the Y. M. C. A. building, which anyone interested in the project is invited to attend.

Among the old swimmers who are anxious that aquatic activities should be resumed are McNeill, Johnston and Campbell, who have turned from the first amateur swim team. The Victoria Amateur Swimming Club was responsible for the success of many eminent nataitors, and it is expected that it will train many more in the future. There cannot be too much encouragement given to the watery sport.

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ORIGINAL PLANS FOR  
DOMINION DAY SPORTS  
JULY 1; NEW IDEASMeet at Oak Bay Will Resemble Old Country Fair;  
Equestrian EventsRED CROSS SHOULD  
RECEIVE LARGE SUM

Something really original in the athletic line should be witnessed at the school sports to be held in aid of the Red Cross at Oak Bay on Dominion Day. Taking all the pleasant entertainments into consideration the gods of amusement are treating Victoria very well indeed this summer. Probably never before in the history of the city have so many sporting events been arranged for the summer months, but the officials in charge of the Oak Bay meeting are not figuring on allowing their affair to be eclipsed by any contemporary entertainment; and as far as a good time is concerned they believe that their project will be big.

Doing Their Bit.

Like Old Country Fair.

Like a regular old country fair is the way the meet is described. And everyone knows that such an entertainment is one of the most enjoyable things in the world. All the familiar features will be welcomed in the shape of coconuts, shrimps, sausages, lime pins and other numerous stalls, while will invite all and sundry to try their skill or luck. All sorts of entertaining stunts that go to make up a perfect day will be in continual operation.

It is planned to have a whole row of these side shows and what not, and there will be a constant string of amusing stunts pulled off in front of the grand stand during the course of the afternoon so that the more serious competitions in which the younger generation intend to indulge will not lag.

Mounted Gymkhana.

One of the attractive features which will place a stamp of genuine novelty on the affair will be an exhibition of trick riding to be staged in front of the grand stand. The eleven ponies which are entered have been especially trained for the occasion.

The tug-of-war contest, in which it is understood a team from the Willows very much fancies its chances, will surely cause great excitement, and as Canada holds the record for a steady pull of something over two hours' duration, the possibilities of this event are almost unlimited.

Public School Interest.

Early next week a member of the committee will visit all the schools of the district, and the boys and girls will be invited to run in their respective classes to benefit the Red Cross, and to uphold the honor of their schools.

Competitors are reminded that at Oak Bay is a safe and fast track, that they can take the sporting event perfectly seriously, and that, owing to the varied programme of amusements to be submitted, they will have the treat of their lives.

Oak Bay schools fancy that they have the cream of the talent of the district, but the pupils of the city may have something to say about this, too.

The fact that a big carnival is to be held at the Gorge on the same day will not seriously affect the situation, since the two events are far removed from each other.

The leading batters for fifteen or more games are Ruth, Boston, 371; Walker, Philadelphia, 367; Baker, New York, 359; Burns, Philadelphia, 344; Sisler, St. Louis, 340; Eddie Collins, Chicago, 337; Hooper, Boston, 327; Tobin, St. Louis, 323; Gandy, Chicago, 320; McMullen, Chicago, 312; Felsch, Chicago, 305.

Cracking out a dozen hits in six games, besides Fred Merkle, the Chicago first baseman, from fifth to second place in the list of National League hitters. He is batting .376, which is

Chicago, June 8.—"Babe" Ruth, the Boston pitcher, signaled his return to the game by driving out four home runs in four days. He failed to get any hits in his first game, but his bats were dropped off, but he still leads the league with .371. He has a record of seven home runs since the start of the season.

Sisler, of St. Louis, continues to show the way to the base-stealers with .387, and McMullen of Boston and Sisler, the team-mates, remain for sacrifice hitting with fifteen. Chapman, of Cleveland, leads in scoring, having crossed the plate thirty times. St. Louis leads in team batting with .274.

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New York, is leading in scoring, having registered forty-two in forty games. Chicago drove New York out of first place in team hitting with .382.

The leading batters for fifteen or more games: Doyle, New York, .426;

Merkle, Chicago, .376; Smith, Boston, .370; Wyckland, Boston, .348; Daubert, Brooklyn, .343; Kauff, New York, .341;

Mann, Chicago, .336; Paskev, Chicago, .321; Holloman, Chicago, .320; Lee Magee, Cincinnati, .320.

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NOTICE—Ashton & Farrow, plumbers. For the convenience of customers residing in Victoria, we have opened a branch situate at 2705 Oak Bay Avenue, opposite Oak Bay Municipal Hall. 50

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2514 FERNWOOD ROAD, well furnished, 5 rooms. **226**

**PARKWAY**, Suite "H," rooms. **317**

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**FURNISHED** or unfurnished housekeeping room, 1621 Quadra, two blocks from City Hall. Phone 920L. **314-15**

1100 WEEK—Two roomed cabin for batching. 840 Johnson Street. **16-15**

ONE OR TWO LARGE ROOMS, furnished or unfurnished, use of fuel and light, nice locality, convenient to beach. Terms moderate. Phone 1580R. **16-15**

WANTED—Furnished rooms near beach for July and August; family of three, two adults and one child. Box 271. Times. **310-15**

**FURNISHED ROOMS** to rent, Fowl Bay; will suit young lady in office. Phone 252R. **315-15**

BRUNSWICK HOTEL—50c. night up, \$1 weekly up. First-class location. Few housekeeping rooms. Yates and Douglas. Phone 117. **315-15**

**SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE**

EXPERIENCED GIRL wishes position in confectionery or ice cream parlor. Box 218. Times. **315-11**

WANTED—By middle-aged woman, position of trust, or companion help; refined; good manager. Box 188, Times. **318-11**

## LOT FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Victoria West, Hereford St., two fine lots, cultivated, and a two roomed house, price \$1,000. A. H. Harman, 704 Fort Street. Phone 668 and 3555R. **313-45**

FOR SALE—Two choice lots in Fairfield; one acre, will take \$400 cash each. Phone 4955R. **311-45**

FOR SALE—Lot in Sec. 4, Work Estate, near Quadra School; owner must sell; no reasonable offer refused. Box 2653. Times. **310-45**

## ACREAGE

WANTED—About one acre of land, Swan Lake or Burnside Road district, must be cheap. Box 291. Times. **315-15**

WANTED—Farm, about three-mile circle, for occupation, Sept. 1. Newton, P. O. Box 272. **46**

10 ACRES, waterfront, Cordova Bay, no rock level; price \$250 per acre. McPherson & Fullerton Bros., 520 Central Bldg. Phone 1888. **316-16**

FARM FOR SALE—\$2,100 will purchase 150 acres of fine land, 100' fronting on main road, three roomed house, good barn and outbuildings, two lakes on property, well, splendid range of grazing land adjoining. Further particulars apply Lee & Fraser, Broad St. **416-46**

SNAP FOR QUICK SALE—\$500 cash will handle 9-acre farm, with bungalow, barn, chicken houses, incubator and brooder houses, fruit trees, city water. Phone 2574R. **315-46**

PROPERTIES FOR SALE—THREE ACRES close to Lander Station, 1/2 mile from the place for poultry and small fowl; only \$65. ONE ACRE, planted to full bearing cherries, fairly high, overlooking University and Normal School; price \$1,000; a good buy. Phone 1735L. **148-47**

THREE ACRES, Cedar Hill Cross Road, near Quadra, splendid south slope for orchard, and other crops. \$2,000. **46**

FOURTEEN ACRES in Saanich, seven miles out, small house, all fenced, some young fruit trees, strawberries, about acre under crop; price for quick sale \$4,500. **46**

CLOVEDEALE AVENUE, five-room cottage and good lot in garden, only \$1,000. JAMES BAY, close to Parliament Building, five-room, modern bungalow; \$2,100. **312-12**

BURNISIDE—Good store and four living rooms, or large corner lot; this is a good location for a general store business. Price only \$1,000. **312-12**

DUNFORD'S, LIMITED, 5122 Government St., five-room, modern bungalow; \$2,100. **312-12**

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MR. RETURN SOLDIER—Some business men fail, but few farmers. We secure you a farm. Call 12 to 2, 322 Sayward. Return Soldiers' Homestead, Esquimalt. Capt. A. E. Jones, Esq. **311-46**

FINE 5-ACRE FARM, Saanich district, close to B. C. E. Ry., 470 fruit trees, 2 roomed house, garage, stables, chicken houses, good well, immediate sale price \$4,500. **315-15** (balance \$1,500). **46** **46** **46**

VICTORIA WEST—Cottage, 4 large rooms, telephone, electric light, lot 40x120, high elevation; price \$1,550. terms; \$1,000 can remain on mortgage. **46**

MICHIGAN STREET—Seven roomed, modern dwelling, basement, furnace, lot 33x160; price \$2,000, cash will handle, balance can remain on mortgage. **46**

GALIANO ISLAND—102 acres, small or large, 1/2 mile from coast, 1/2 miles from town, good outbuildings, 2 miles from main wharf, \$1/2 miles from Post Office; price \$3,500. any terms; might enter into suitable trade. **46**

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## PROMPT DELIVERY OF CARS OF FOOD

Food Board Does Not Intend  
Consignees Shall Permit  
Waste

Ottawa, June 8.—If delivery of cars containing foodstuffs be not accepted by the consignees, the railways are now reporting the circumstances promptly to the Canada Food Board. To date approximately 600 such cases have been found that consignees are refusing to accept shipments "because of a falling market."

Unwarranted refusal to accept shipments means delay which, in the case of perishable articles, may result in waste, and the Food Board is prepared, in cases where it finds such refusal is not justified, to cancel or suspend the license of such consignee.



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1918 Instalments—Local Improvement Taxes.

Arranging Local Improvement Taxes.

Arrears of both General and Local Improvement Taxes.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,  
City Comptroller.

City Hall, Victoria, B. C., June 7, 1918.

## PROMPT DELIVERY OF CARS OF FOOD

## ONTARIO FARMERS OPPOSE ARMY ACT

Convention Applauds Speaker's  
Advice to Keep Sons  
at Home

Therefore London Express  
Urges Allies to Make Rus-  
sians Understand

Toronto, June 8.—"Let us put down our foot and say that our sons will not go to the front," declared C. A. Barwood, of Owen Sound, and the Austrian Slavs what an Allied victory will mean for them, in the opinion of The Daily Express. The newspaper calls on the Allies to translate their vague references to self-determination into concrete terms and to let their pronouncements appear above the signature of the United States as well as the European Allies.

Despite the fact that many of the delegates had left for their homes the Labor Temple here this morning roared their applause.

The meeting closed practically all the delegates present signed a petition for the release of Isaac Bannbridge, who is under sentence for publishing articles in The Canada Forward calculated to hinder recruiting.

"The German jackboot is heavy," says The Express, "and the foot in it is ruthless and vigorous. The foot stamps and the boot grinds, but men are sometimes made of hard metal. The crushing may be incomplete and may stimulate resentments sooner than subdue them."

"These reflections are suggested by the present conditions in Russia and Austria. The better the details of the Brest-Litovsk treaty are understood the more general is Russia's discontent and hostility. She is out of the war, but she is in the front rank of the peoples who abhor Prussian tyranny with all their soul. She is a people grown familiar with injustice, the Russians are capable of stolid, passive resistance, flaring up now and again into blind revolt, which is already worrying the German conquerors."

"We are ready at any time that is named to organize and stand with the rest of you farmers," declared Oliver Reaume, Essex County. "I hope I will be able to go home happy to-night and say we have done something," he said. He deplored the race and religion cry that had been raised at the last election.

**Economic Support Needed.**

Washington, June 8.—Hope for a complete victory over Germany is expressed in a communication received by President Wilson from the Russian-American Chamber of Commerce at Moscow. The Russian people, it is declared, rely on the economic support of the Allies for the reconstruction of the power of Russia.

**Too Much Profanity.**

J. W. Haycock said that the great trouble with those who raised the race and religion cry was that they used too much profanity. There is "too much religion and not enough Christianity," he declared. "Those people should trade off a barrel of their religion, a pint of Christianity. The man who has a race and religion cry is not only a traitor to his country, but a traitor to his God."

A question then was put from the rear of the hall: "Can anyone here give a statement of the number of recruits raised in Quebec for the great war?" The cry has been that Quebec had not done its share. Is this a fact?"

Delegates Marion, of Quebec, volunteering to answer did so by putting a counter question: "Do you know, considering the state of affairs Ontario has come to, that you have done your duty? The newspapers that have said Quebec had not done its duty have been forced to admit that Quebec has Exemption tribunals were established, and they have down there exercised their rights, as far as they were allowed to remain on the land. Once exemptions were cancelled no more applications were made and they immediately donned khaki."

Mild applause greeted this statement. A resolution introduced calling upon the Governor-General to dissolve Parliament was withdrawn after President Halbert had made a strenuous objection to it. He said that if such action were taken it would make the farmers look ridiculous.

The farmers decided to appoint a paid organizer to organize the various farms clubs so that they might have a strong voice politically. After dispersing the farmers passed a resolution asking the Government to amend the Act so as to exempt one skilled man for every 100 acres.

**Would Have Stopped It.**

Toronto, June 8.—"The farmers will hold no more meetings in Toronto of the character of the one just held," Inspector of Detectives George Kennedy said to day. "If I had had any idea that their meeting at Massey Hall was to have been for the purpose of denouncing the Government I would have attended and read them Order-in-Council No. 17."

"I would not have allowed them to proceed if we would have advised them to go home and continue their work on the farms and if they had refused, I would have given them an opportunity to do some work on the industrial farm."

**NEWFOUNDLAND PAPER,  
SUPPRESSED WEEK AGO,  
IS APPEARING AGAIN**

St. John's, Nfld., June 8.—The Daily Star is again publishing after being suppressed last Saturday under the authority of the War Measures Act on a charge of printing articles calculated to hamper the operation of the conscription measure in Newfoundland. After the seizure of the plant by the authorities, the matter was taken to the Supreme Court and the paper released.

H. M. Moseley, the publisher, now declares that he will sue the Government for substantial damages because of the action of its executives.

**FLANDERS FRONT.**

With the British Army in France and Belgium, June 8.—Locre H. piece, which the Germans captured on Wednesday night, was retaken by French troops yesterday. They batted their way to this much-contested position and completely re-established their original line.

## FRECKLES

Now is the Time to Get Rid of These  
Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine—double strength—guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply, get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from any druggist and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have entirely disappeared. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

## ALLIED VICTORY NEEDED BY RUSSIA

Shearer Would Leave Presby-  
terian Organization to Join  
Dominion Council

Therefore London Express

Urges Allies to Make Rus-  
sians Understand

London, June 8.—Rev. J. G. Shearer, superintendent of the Social Service and Evangelistic Department of the Presbyterian Church, tendered his resignation of that office at yesterday afternoon's session of the General Assembly, and asked to be relieved on June 30, in order that he might accept the position of secretary of the Dominion Social Service Council.

Rev. Canon Tucker, of St. Paul's Anglican Cathedral, London, Ont., president of the Social Service Council, accepted the resignation before the Assembly and urged that Dr. Shearer be permitted to enter the wider field.

"It is an honor I ask you to confer on yourselves," he said, "although it will prove a great loss to your church."

Dr. Shearer said that while he was not resigning because of any friction, at the same time he did not think the work was well organized in the interests of economy and efficiency. There was a waste of time and money in traveling expenses, and a danger of friction between the separate bodies.

He recommended that a new social service superintendence be not appointed, but a superintendent.

On motion of Rev. Dr. Reed of Montreal, seconded by Rev. Dr. Milne of Ottawa, a committee was appointed by the Moderator, along with the Finance and Social Service Committees, to confer with Dr. Shearer, in an effort to retain his services.

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## TO CHECK WASTE IN DAIRY PRODUCTS

Further Regulations Are Issued Licensing Vending of Food Stuffs

The Local Food Board office has just received copies of Government Notice No. 41, of the Canada Food Board, which establishes a system of licensing for produce brokers, separate licenses to be used for wholesalers, produce commission merchants and brokers.

The wholesale regulation covers dealers in meats, lard, cheese, butter, oleomargarine, eggs, or poultry. A produce collector's license is necessary for any person collecting or purchasing eggs, poultry, or dairy butter from the farmer or other person who is the actual producer, and sells again within ten days, an exception being made in the case of retail grocers.

All trading in the produce mentioned in this order is to serve to move the produce in the direct line of distribution to the consumer.

The licensees do not buy, contract for, sell, store or otherwise handle or deal in any food products in such a manner as unreasonably to increase the price or restrict the supply of such products, or to monopolize or attempt to monopolize either locally or generally any of such products.

A produce wholesaler selling to another produce wholesaler must allow a reasonable share of his margin over cost, to be agreed upon at time of transaction, but in no case is the price to the retailer to be increased by such trading.

Regulations follow to prevent excessive commissions on produce and the waste of good products. No licensee is to trade with any person who ought to be licensed by the Food Board but has not complied with the regulations.

Every licensee putting eggs in cold storage must furnish to the operator of the storage a statement in writing certifying that such eggs have been candled and bad and unsound eggs removed. Licensees storing eggs in cold storage which they own or control are to keep a proper record of such candling.

### NOT A LINE YET

No Word From Ottawa Giving Reasons for the Disallowance of the Settlers' Rights Act.

Although more than a week has elapsed, and several days since certain reasons were published in an Ottawa dispatch, since news first reached the Government that the Federal authorities had disallowed the Vancouver Island Rights Act, not a single line by way of official notification has reached the Parliament Buildings to date. In the meantime, however, the Provincial Executive is exhibiting a good deal of activity in preparing itself with every vestige of detail likely to have the least bearing on the principle at stake and the numerous interests involved. Until some communication received from Ottawa there will be no pronouncement from the Government.

### BLOODESS WOMEN

Feel Weak, Depressed and Worn Out All the Time—Do Not Eat Well or Sleep Well

Is an unfortunate fact that nine women out of ten are victims of bloodlessness in one form or another. The girl in her teens, the wife and mother, the matron of middle age, all know its miseries. To be anaemic means that you are breathless after any slight exertion—you feel depressed and worn out all day. You turn against food and cannot digest what little you do eat. At night you do not sleep well and in the morning you wake up tired and feeling unfit for the day's duties. Perhaps there are splitting headaches, or pains in the back or side. Often feeling of dizziness and despondency. These are the signs of anaemia, or bloodlessness. There may be only one or two or three signs noticeable, but the more there are the greater are the ravages of the trouble. There is only one way to cure anaemia, and that is by increasing and enriching the blood supply, and there is only one medicine can do this speedily and effectively—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills purify the blood. It is in this way that thousands and thousands of weak, ailing girls and women have been restored to the joy of energy and good health through their use. Give these pills a fair trial and you will enjoy that health and strength that is the birthright of every woman. Mrs. W. H. Neff, Hughes Avenue, Toronto, says: "For several years I was subject to frequent and watery condition of the blood. At times I would be so bad that when I walked up stairs I would have to sit on the top step and rest. Sometimes my face would swell to about twice its natural size, and at other times my feet would swell so that I could not put my shoes on. Frequently I would take fainting spells, and was wholly untrited for an hour. I was under doctor's care most of the time, and if I felt better for a time it was only to have the trouble worse before. While in this condition I was visiting a friend who had great faith in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and she got me three boxes. By the time I had taken these I felt so much better that I got six more boxes, and before I had taken them I was again in the best of health; had increased in weight, my appetite improved, and I have not had a symptom of a relapse to the old pitiable condition."

You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills from any dealer in medicines, or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Moving Picture Theatres—According to records filed with the Island Revenue Department under the new taxation proposals there are seven picture houses in Victoria, one in Esquimalt, three in Nanaimo and one each in Ladysmith, Duncan, Alberni, Courtenay, Cumberland and South Wellington.

## RESUME LECTURES ON FOOD PRODUCTION

Meeting on Tuesday Will Be Addressed by Professor Lionel Stevenson



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## READY TO REFER ADDITIONAL LIST

Clouds Prevented View of Eclipse in Early Stages

The eclipse of the sun, which had been so eagerly awaited, was not very promising from the Victorians' standpoint at the time of going to press. Dull atmospheric conditions prevailed throughout the day, the presence of the sun being scarcely felt overhead, and observers could only hope for a change as the hour wore on towards the maximum of the eclipsing of the sun's light by the inter-position of the moon.

A number of members of the Royal Astronomical Society and the Natural History Society gathered by invitation of the Superintendent of the Gonzales Observatory to await the phenomenon.

The eclipse was due to commence in the latitude at half past two o'clock, reach its maximum at three minutes to four o'clock and continue until five minutes past five o'clock.

**The Effect on Earth.** The reason the moon can entirely obscure the sun, though it is 400 times smaller in diameter than the latter, is because it is 400 times nearer the earth. Since the distance of the moon from the earth, however, varies from 217,650 miles to 249,000, astronomers explain as the reason why in some eclipses the sun-shaped shadow is too short to reach the earth, while in others it is a "annular" or ring-shaped eclipse, during which only the outer rim of the sun can be seen.

**Phenomenon Explained.** When the eclipse is total the disk of the moon fits exactly over that of the sun and the light is shut off. When that occurs the solar atmosphere may be seen glowing as a beautiful aureole. Awe-inspiring streamers, which astronomers think are electrical, spread out from the sun like ghostly banners. Some of these banners are estimated to have a length of 10,000,000 miles. They are beautifully colored and this corona is described as being one of the most imposing of celestial spectacles.

It was in 1842, during a central eclipse visible in Europe, that the corona and the streamers. The spectacle made a profound impression on observers. Not only was the display of solar banners unusually brilliant, but the solar "prominences" which consist of terrifying cyclones of flame, could be seen leaping to a height of 50,000 miles. The important work done during that eclipse resulted in a world-wide study of the physical attributes of the sun.

Since the next central eclipse has been watched carefully with the hope that some of the unexplained phenomena may be understood, or that the predicted, but not verified, existence of a small planet which has an orbit inside that of the planet Mercury may be determined.

**In the Path.** About ten minutes before darkness begins the sunlight changes from its usual brightness to a lurid copper hue, the color of the sky and the birds go to rest. The moon's shadow advances on the western horizon like a heavy thunder storm, advancing with the speed of a cannon ball. The thin crescent of the sun becomes narrower and narrower, and as it disappears the rosy flames of the sun flash into view and the magnificent solar corona appears.

The corona is the most wonderful and most mysterious of all heavenly objects. It surrounds the sun above the atmosphere proper, often lying in streamers and rays of fantastic shape. It contains a green gas, coronium, which is not found on earth.

Though of short duration, total solar eclipses are very interesting to astronomers because of the opportunities given to study the upper strata and corona of the sun and to search for planets between the sun and moon.

**Dr. Plaskett Away.** Dr. Plaskett, the director of the Dominion Observatory here, is at Goddard, Washington, with other astronomers, that town being within the belt of totality, and he will bring several famous men here for a visit to the Observatory on Tuesday.

**Returned Soldiers Dance.** Mrs. Geo. Simpson is managing a dance to be held in the Hippodrome Hall on Tuesday evening in aid of the Comrades of the Great War.

**CHINESE THEATRE SUIT IN VICTORIANA**

Vancouver, June 8.—Brought by a written contract from China to play at the local Chinese theatre, Shu Yuen, a Canadian is suing the Wing Hong Lin Theatre Company for damages for wrongful dismissal. The case was partly heard before Judge Carley yesterday and adjourned until Tuesday.

The contract was for a year, and is a document about the size of a newspaper sheet. The defendant company claims that the plaintiff was properly dismissed because of his offensive acting.

**Raid Kent Hotel.**—Four flasks of what appears to be whiskey were found when the police raided the Kent Hotel, Broad Street, shortly after 1 this afternoon. The officers entered the barroom from Broad Street and searched it from end to end. The officers, including Chief Palmer, Detective Sergeant O'Leary, Sergeant Blackstock and Constable Phipps carried out the search.

**Net Too Late.**—Food Control Licenses prepared correctly by W. H. Price, notary public, next Bank of Montreal.

## NOT READY TO FIX THE ELECTION DATE

And Premier Oliver Merely an Interested Spectator Re Cowichan

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**COMMITTEE TO MEET AT PENTICTON NEXT**Provincial Lands Department  
Will Push Ahead With  
Grazing Policy**EXECUTIVE FORMULATE  
TENTATIVE PROPOSALS**

George R. Naden, Deputy Minister of Lands; M. A. Grainger, Chief Forester, and W. T. McDonald, Acting Deputy Minister of Agriculture and Provincial Livestock Commissioner, returned from Kamloops yesterday, where they attended the annual meeting of the Interior Stockraisers' Association, and an informal grazing conference, attended by stockraisers and wool growers, which followed it.

The executive committee, comprising the above-named officials of the Provincial Government and the presidents of the Stockraisers' and Wool Growers' organizations, continued their deliberations directed towards a plan of operation and discussed many subjects allied with any general grazing policy which may result from the inaugural meeting held in the interior city on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Decisions arrived at will be announced in due course.

**Some Questions Discussed.**

The question as to the best methods of dealing with stray stock—a bone of contention with stockmen—came in for lengthy review and discussion. A proposal to associate with any grazing scheme will include a permanent cure in this particular connection. At present the legal procedure with regard to bovine irrefractory is bristly with doubt and indecision. How to protect the grazing lands of the international and provincial border country from visitations of alien stock is another irritable point which will get attention and settlement. Much annoyance has been caused to cattlemen in these sections by the "summer tourist" from Alberta and the State of Washington. The "summer tourist" meaning sheep, it is easy to see that while the animal takes his fill of British Columbia pasture this province has no redress and gets no advantage from his "trade."

**Leases and Commodity.**

Leases and general conditions in connection with the leasing of grazing lands and regulations as applying to commodity were important in the discussion. The executive committee's point of view in relation to commodity is that while these lands in various sections of the province are reserved from alienation by the Crown a good deal of unintelligent—if unwitting—use has been made of them under the privileges granted by the Government, resulting in a considerable depletion of pasture within such areas. With the comodification of the prairies now occupying the attention of the Lands Department regulations would govern all comodifications with a view to economical use and general conservation.

**"Poison Week."**

The policing of ranges and the reduction of risk from the depredations of the "rustler," as well as brand inspection plans were thoroughly treated and many recommendations made to the executive for incorporation in any decision arrived at. Vermin control, a most important matter, particularly with regard to the protection of sheep, may be the subject for an innovation in the near future. The mountain sheep, cougar and the coyote. Three systems were discussed: the bounty plan, the paid hunter and the "poison week."

While the latter procedure may savor of the "tag day," the principle has been tested "elsewhere" and its adoption in British Columbia under the usual safeguards may follow as part of the general scheme for the development of the stockraising industry.

**Scientific Side.**

Arrangements have been made between the Government and the University of British Columbia for the services of Dr. Hutchinson to be loaned to the Department of Lands for the summer months. It will be the intention of the doctor to study range burning from the scientific point of view. This is to say, there are many areas in this province highly infested and generally believed to be adaptable for grass growing once burned over. Some instances, however, have gone to show that instead of the desired grass as a product of the clearing nothing but unusable brush has resulted. Dr. Hutchinson will therefore study this side of the question for the purpose of securing data upon which a fairly accurate forecast of the class of foliage likely to follow the burning over of timbered grazing lands.

**Irrigation for Feed.**

Hitherto the question of irrigation in British Columbia has been so closely allied to the fruit growing industry that the suggestion of its application to mere grazing would be almost sacrilegious to the budding orchardist. If British Columbia is to come into her own in the matter of livestock development, and particularly sheep farming, the Lands Department looks forward to the extension of the ditch system in the hope to secure what is now conspicuous by its absence: a sufficiency of winter feed.

**Useful Comparison.**

The next meeting of the executive committee will be held at Penticton on July 9 next. The location was chosen

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so as to afford an opportunity to the committee of crossing the international border for the purpose of inspecting the Toots Coulee range, which has been a source of trouble in the past due to range control as explained by R. Mackenzie, of the United States Forest Branch, at Kamloops on Wednesday last. Adjoining the Toots Coulee property, but on this side of the border, is a similar expanse of range land in its undeveloped state and it is to afford the comparison that the executive will meet in the Okanagan city.

Province Interested. The liveliest interest in the grazing question is being maintained throughout the province, while cattle men and stockmen are seeing a big future in this connection provided the question is handled on systematic lines as foreshadowed by the various officials of the Provincial Government.

**Stamping of the Coulee.**

The following catechism is one that has been prepared by Official Registrar W. G. Gaunce, for the purpose of helping those who are anxious for information on the coming national registration:

1. Who must register? Every resident of Canada over sixteen years of age.

2. Where shall I register? At any registration booth that suits your own convenience. Register once only, and suit yourself as to place.

3. Where will the booths be? A full list will be published early next week. Booths will be placed with a view to public convenience.

4. When is registration day? June 22, from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.

5. Can I register before? Yes, if you are going to be away on that date come to my office at any time after Monday next and I will gladly specially register you.

6. Do you need more help? Yes, I do. If help is being offered voluntarily? Yes, if the booths are well. I will not need to pay for a deputy, or help or booth for registration day, thanks to public spirit.

8. Have you had special offers of service for the work? Yes, several

merchandise houses, several societies, and a number of plants have offered to relieve the pressure of work by taking complete charge of their own registration privately. Can you help in this way?

9. Can you provide for home registration? Yes, if you are a confirmed invalid, or if you are a cripple and unable to get to the booth. I will see that a deputy waits on you at home, provided I am notified in advance.

10. Is there any penalty for neglect to register? Yes, a very heavy fine and severe penalties.

11. Are the army and navy exempt? All such on active service only, which means that all discharged men must register.

12. Who will know whether or not I register? Every registrant will be given a card, and that card is to be carried on the person, and produced when demanded by any peace officer, or by a member of any club, or hotel, and transportation company, etc., and any one who gives you hotel accommodation, or transportation, or employment if you cannot produce the card when called upon for it, is subject to heavy fine and imprisonment.

13. Who knows whether I tell the truth? You do, before you swear to the truth of your reply; moreover, if you wilfully give a false or misleading answer, you are guilty of an offence and liable to heavy fine and imprisonment.

14. Will my reply be considered confidential? Yes, every deputy registrar or assistant is sworn to observe strict secrecy in regard to it.

15. What is the object of registration? I have no official intimation, but I take it to mean that the Government of Canada wants a complete census of its people, wants to know where there is an excess or deficiency of misappropriated power, where and how it may be used, your condition if you have special fitness unused or partly used, or which you would like transferred to other fields of activity.

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